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For the House Federal Relations, Energy, and Telecommunications
Committee

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1. Title, page 1, line 18.
Following: "82-11-111,"
Insert: "82-11-118,"

2. Page 3, line 4.
Following: "pursuant to"
Insert: "[section 5(2)(b)] and"

3. Page 3, line 5.
Following: "(1)"
Insert: "of this section"

4. Page 3, line 14.
Following: "the"
Insert: "stored"

5. Page 3, line 16.
Strike: "4(7)"
Insert: "4(8)"

6. Page 3, line 17.
Following: the second "the"
Insert: "injected or stored"
Strike: "contained in the reservoir"

7. Page 3.
Following: line 19
Insert: "(3) For the purposes of [section 4] and this section,
"title" includes title to the geologic storage reservoir and
the stored carbon dioxide."

8. Page 5, line 3.
Following: "BOARD"
Strike: "MAY"
Insert: ": (a) shall"
Following: "(4)"
Insert: "of this section"

9. Page 5, line 4.

Strike: ":"

10. Page 5, line 5.
Strike: "(A)"

11. Page 5, line 6.
Following: "(B)"
Insert: "may, pursuant to 82-11-111, adopt"

12. Page 5, line 28.
Strike: ", IN" through "OPERATOR,"

13. Page 5, line 29.
Strike: "MONITOR"
Insert: "ensure adequate monitoring by the operator of"

14. Page 6, line 1.
Following: "(7)(C),"
Insert: "if"
Following: "OPERATOR"
Insert: "has title to the geologic storage reservoir and the stored carbon dioxide, the geologic storage operator"

15. Page 6, line 15.
Following: "THE"
Insert: "geologic storage reservoir and the"

16. Page 6, line 18.
Following: "RESERVOIR"
Insert: "and the stored carbon dioxide"

17. Page 6, line 20.
Following: "RESERVOIR"
Insert: "and the stored carbon dioxide"

18. Page 6, line 22.
Following: "RESERVOIRS"
Insert: "and stored carbon dioxide"

19. Page 6, line 30.
Strike: "(7)"
Insert: "(8)"

20. Page 7, line 1.
Following: "[SECTION 2(1)]"
Insert: "or [section 5(2)(b)]"

21. Page 7, line 7.
Following: "(2)"
Insert: "(a)"

22. Page 7, line 8.
Following: "wells."
Insert: "The rules must be in accordance with all application,
     permitting, and regulatory requirements for carbon dioxide
     injection wells pursuant to this part.
          (b) The rules must include provisions for a fee to be paid
by the owner of a converted well in an amount equivalent to the
fee required to be paid by a geologic storage operator pursuant
to [section 2(1)]."

23. Page 7, line 10.
Following: "chapter"
Insert: ", including requirements for bonding or other surety,
     the issuance of a certificate of completion, and acceptance
     or transfer of liability"

24. Page 16, line 8.
Strike: "fluids"
Insert: "carbon dioxide"

25. Page 19, line 23.
Following: "82-11-123"
Strike: ";"
Insert: ". If a permit for a carbon dioxide injection well is
     revoked, an operator may not seek a refund of application or
     permitting fees or fees paid pursuant to [section 2] or
     [section 5(2)(b)]."

26. Page 20.
Following: line 19
Insert: "**Section 15.** Section 82-11-118, MCA, is amended to read:
     "**82-11-118. Fees for processing applications.** (1) The board
shall establish a fee schedule to defray the expenses incurred
for processing an application from a geologic storage operator or
an operator or producer of oil seeking approval of a new or
expanded enhanced recovery project, as defined in 15-36-303. The
fee must be paid by the owner, geologic storage operator, or
operator seeking approval of the project.
          (2) The board shall, by rule, determine the amount of the
fee based on the complexity of processing the application."
{*Internal References to 82-11-118: None.*}"
Renumber: subsequent sections

27. Page 22, line 6.
Strike: "4(7)"
Insert: "4(8)"

28. Page 22, line 7 through line 8.
Strike: "and" on line 7 through "completion" on line 8

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29. Page 28, line 19.
Strike: "4(7)"
Insert: "4(8)"

30. Page 29, line 14.
Strike: "25"
Insert: "26"

31. Page 29, line 17.
Strike: "26"
Insert: "27"
Strike: "29"
Insert: "30"

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